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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Bishop Hugh Miller Thompson, of Mississippi, died yesterday. —— President Roosevelt and party will arrive in Memphis this morning to attend the reception tendered Vice Gov. Wright of the Philippines. —— The Molineuxs, father and son, have nothing to say regarding Mrs. Molineux's suit for divorce. —— E. L. Cost has been appointed traffic manager of the S. A. L. —— Miss Florence McFarlin was stabbed to death in her father's home at Rochester, N. Y., and Mrs. Lula Young was arrested as being the supposed murderess. —— Andrew Carnegie's rturn to the United States has been delayed by sickness. —— In the case of Wilcox, charged with the murder of Miss Cropsey, Judge Moore has decided to removeit from Elizabeth City to another county. —— Southern Pacific train wrecked near Devers, Texas; several persons injured. —— Admiral Dewey has been ordered to take command of the Carribbean Sea division in the coming manoeuvres. —— President Roosevelt on his return to Washington from Memphis will make stops at Asheville and Monroe, N. C. —— The bear hunt in Mississippi has ended and the President has not even had a shot at a bear. —— New York markets.—Money on call was firm at 4@5½ per cent.; cotton steady at 8.35c; flour was more active; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 78½c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 65½c; oats—spot firm, No. 2, 35c; rosin—firm; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Dep't of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 18.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 62 degrees; 8 P. M., 63 degrees; maximum, 73 degrees; minimum, 62 degrees; mean, 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .33; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 1.78.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—For North Carolina: Fair Wednesday and Thursday, light variable winds, mostly north.

Port Almanac---November 19.

Sun Rises	6.40 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.50 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 14 M.
High Water at Southport	10.53 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	1.03 P. M.

Crime is said to be fearfully increasing in London, and it isn't all in the slummy sections, either.

An American syndicate has purchased from the Canadian Government 2,000,000 acres of wheat land in Ontario, on which it proposes to settle 12,500 families.

The American Pacific cable, the laying of which will soon begin, will extend from San Francisco to Hawaii, about 2,000 miles, thence to Guam and thence to Manila, a total distance of about 6,800 miles.

A London newspaper announces the discovery of gold "in the dust of the streets at Helena, near Montana, in New York"? It got about as near it as the average Englishman does when he tackles American Geography.

Porfirio Diaz, who has been President of the Republic of Mexico for twenty years, will retire Jan. 1, 1903, and will be succeeded by the present minister of finance. Diaz could stay in for life if he would, but he is anxious to let the world see that the Republic does not depend for law, order and progress on him, as many suppose.

Miss Maud Berri, an actress, has achieved fame by performing an act never before accomplished by any actress in this country. She swallowed her watch, and did it in her sleep, too. If she could do that in her sleep and without trying, she could probably swallow the town clock if she wanted to and went at it earnest.

The Washington *Post* quotes Col. Julian S. Carr, of Durham, as saying that he is a candidate to succeed Jeter C. Pritchard in the U. S. Senate, and that if the people should choose him "a cherished ambition would be realized." There are quite a number of more or less distinguished gentlemen in the State who feel ditto.

The coal barons who have a monopoly on anthracite and also on the transportation to market say they can't afford to increase the wages of miners, but the Pennsylvania Railroad has just made a voluntary increase in the wages of all its employes who receive less than $200 a month. This increases the pay roll nearly $5,000,000 a year. Other railroads in the country have done the same.

For Asthma use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

ENTHUSIASM AT Y. M. C. A.

"Get One Club" Is Working for New Members—Gymnasium Exercises Popular With All Classes.

The increase in the membership of the Young Men's Christian Association is receiving much attention nowadays. A "Get One Club" has been organized with about 60 members, who have promised to endeavor to secure at least one new member between Nov. 15th and Dec. 15th. Several new members have already been secured by this means. The membership is now 262 and it is hoped to increase this number to 350 before the new year.

Never before have the advantages of the Association been so good as at present and everything is being done to make a membership in the organization more valuable than ever. Improvements have been made in all parts of the building. The work has been placed on a better basis and everything done to provide a fine club at a small cost for the young men of the city.

The gymnasium exercises are taught by a man thoroughly capable from study and practice to teach the best and most approved methods. Many members are availing themselves of this splendid opportunity. About 100 are now enrolled in the classes. The boys' class is so large that there is hardly room for them all. The young men's class is growing in proportion also. The business men are also very enthusiastic over the work done for them in the gymnasium. Many men who were growing stiff from age and inactivity feel themselves growing limber again as a result of their exercise. The plan used embraces the flexion of every joint in the body, besides the toning up of the whole system. Basket ball is played by these men, and all say that their breathing powers are improving rapidly, and that the muscles are rapidly losing that soft, flabby condition and are assuming a firmer and healthier tone. New men are joining the class at every session.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Marshall Stallings, colored, was arrested by Policeman C. E. Wood at Fourth Street bridge yesterday afternoon upon a charge of larceny.

— A permit has been granted to Mr. N. M. McEachern to build a one-story addition to the feed and grain store of his company, No. 211 Market street, same to conform to the fire regulations of the city.

— Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels well pleased a good sized audience at the Academy of Music last night. The olio was of an exceptionably high order and the features were well up to the standard.

— Mrs. Elizabeth Potter, an aged lady of Wilmington, residing on Fourth between Dawson and Wright streets, died yesterday, aged about 75 years. She was born in Marion, S. C., but had lived in Wilmington for many years.

— Mr. F. K. Tomlinson, of Winston, N. C., has accepted an invitation by the Wilmington Lodge of Elks to deliver the annual address upon the occasion of its memorial services in the Academy of Music Sunday afternoon, Dec. 7th.

— Cards announcing the coming marriage of Miss Katie Harlowe and Mr. Robert G. Rankin, popular young society people of Wilmington, were mailed yesterday. The ceremony will be performed in St. James' church Wednesday evening, December 3rd.

STEALING A MARCH ON SPRING.

Second Crop of Strawberries Owing to Lateness of Fall—At Willard.

One of the remarkable things in connection with the lateness of Autumn this year is the verdancy of the strawberry fields all along the line of the Wilmington and Weldon railroad.

At Willard the phenomenon is especially noticeable and yesterday Mr. Henry Peterson, a grower near that town, had on sale some fine ripe berries, fresh from the field. He is thinking of shipping a few crates North to try the market. Had the warm sunshine continued for a week or ten days longer, the developments would no doubt have been even more wonderful.

Around Norfolk the same conditions exist. There is a good second crop of berries. M. F. Parker, a Norfolk county farmer, had a hundred quarts on the Portsmouth market last Saturday.

Funeral at Long Creek.

The remains of the late Miss Maggie Willis Murray, whose death was noted in these columns yesterday morning, were taken to Long Creek, Pender county, for interment. The funeral was conducted at Long Creek by Rev. J. L. Vipperman, of this city, who accompanied the remains. The pall-bearers from the residence to the railroad station were Messrs. Clarence Rogers, C. H. Murrell, G. F. Hansley and B. K. Bradshaw.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. H. Rehder & Co.—Silk waists.
Masonic—Meeting Orient Lodge.
Vollers & Hashagen—Up in smoke.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co.—Gas heaters.

SLOT MACHINE TAX.

Ordinance Adopted By Aldermen Ratified By Board of Audit and Finance.

AT ITS MEETING LAST NIGHT.

Several Recommendations By Legislative Branch of the City Concurred In—Disposition of Applegate Matter Approved—Expense Bills

The ratification of the ordinance taxing slot machines $10 per month, as recommended by the Board of Aldermen, concurrence in the action of the Aldermen in ordering a distribution of the funds in the Applegate claim matter, and the approval of various and sundry bills for the current expenses of the city, were the important features of the proceedings of last night's regular semi-monthly meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance.

All members were present at the meeting viz: Chairman H. C. McQueen, presiding; Messrs. C. W. Yates, Jesse Wilder, S. P. McNair, John A. Orrell and Capt. W. H. Northrop, Jr., clerk. Aldermen Johnson and Hashagen were also present, the first named to report in regard to the work on Fifth Street bridge and Mr. Hashagen to urge ratification of the slot machine ordinance.

Mr. Hashagen is chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen and it was at his instance that the regulation was framed by the City Attorney. It imposes a penalty of $30 for each day any machine is operated without the payment of the license tax of $10 per month and it was desirable that the ordinance be passed at last night's meeting, so that the 28 machines would bring the city $280 revenue for the month of November.

The machine owners do not resist payment of the tax and Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, counsel for the operators, was present last night and so stated. The ordinance goes into effect to-day and is the same as printed some time ago in these columns.

Mr. Hashagen also addressed the Board last night upon the Applegate claim amounting to $445.16 for repairs to city buildings about two years ago and which has been pending ever since. The recommendation of the Board of Aldermen in regard to the matter at last meeting was fully concurred in.

The FinanceBoard also concurred in the $25 appropriation of the Aldermen for additional salary of $5 per month to be paid to March Walker, assistant to the clerk at Front street market.

Alderman Johnson reported that the material was on the ground for the superstructure of Fifth street bridge and that work upon the same had commenced; that he would advise the Board, after examination, as to whether the half of the contract price should be paid when all the material is on the ground.

Coupons amounting to $30, due July 1st, 1902, having been paid, were burned by the Board.

The Clerk submitted a statement from City Clerk and Treasurer B. F. King showing receipts and disbursements of the public fund during the month of October as follows:

Receipts—Balance from September, $14,406.57; merchants' license, $2,904,-82; bar rooms, $1,533; market rent, $144.98; mayor's court, $125; weighing beef cattle, $37.95; miscellaneous and extraordinary, $311,20; real and personal property tax 1902, $13,183.76; real and personal tax prior to 1902, $1,327.56; dray badges, $5.60; costs on tax prior to 1902, $105.55; total, $19,-678.42. Grand total including balance from preceding month, $34,084.99.

The disbursements during the month were $16,436.94, leaving a balance to November of $17,648.05.

RECOVERED STOLEN HORSE.

Mr. John F. Garrell, Jr., Had Long Chase After His Father's Turn-Out.

Mr. Jno. F. Garrell, Jr., and a negro named Peter Davis whom he took with him on a chase for the thief, recovered the horse and buggy stolen from Mr. Jno. F. Garrell, Sr., Monday morning. The chase lasted from 11:30 A. M. until after 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The thief jumped from the buggy and fled through the woods when overtaken.

The horse and buggy were stolen from a hitching post in front of Mr. Garrell's slaughter pen, on the Castle Haynes road, where it had been left by the owner a short time before. Mr. Jno. F. Garrell, Jr., and the negro, Peter Davis, at once gave pursuit on horseback, tracking the buggy for seven or eight miles before they caught a glimpse of the stolen property. At the seven mile post on the Newbern road, the thief's pursuers were close upon him and he jumped from the buggy and ran. Mr. Garrell recovered the horse, driven almost to death, and brought him back to the city. The thief has not been captured.

Approaching December Wedding

Friends in the city yesterday received handsomely engraved invitations which read as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibbons Smallbones request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Alice Doane, to Mr. George Washington Brunson, Jr., on the afternoon of Tuesday, the second of December, one thousand nine hundred and two, at a quarter before six o'clock, St. John's Episcopal Church, Wilmington, North Carolina."

PRETTY WEDDING SERVICE.

Miss Della Clark Became the Bride of Mr. Edmond S. Battle Yesterday Evening—Bridal Trip.

Yesterday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Captain and Mrs. Haywood Clark, No. 520 Market street, a quiet but exceedingly pretty marriage service joined in matrimony two popular young people of Wilmington—Miss Della Clark and Mr. Edmond S. Battle.

The ceremony was performed in an impressive manner by the Rev. Richard W. Hogue, rector of St. James' parish, and there were present only a few intimate friends of the bride and groom and members of the immediate families of the contracting parties. The bride was handsomely attired in a going-away gown of blue cloth and carried an exquisite bouquet of bride's roses and ferns. The parlor decorations were pretty and very effective.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Battle received hurried but hearty congratulations upon their life union and left on the 7 o'clock Atlantic Coast Line train for a bridal tour through Florida. Returning to North Carolina they will reside near Tarboro, N. C.

Miss Clark, the bride, was one of Wilmington's most popular and attractive young ladies, and is much loved and admired in a wide circle of friends. She is a grand-daughter of the late Gov. Henry T. Clark, of Tarboro. Mr. Battle, the groom, is also a member of a distinguished North Carolina family, and has for several years been a popular member of the City Attorney. It imposes a penalty of $30 for each day any machine is operated without the payment of the license tax of $10 per month and it was desirable that the ordinance be passed at last night's meeting, so that the 28 machines would bring the city $280 revenue for the month of November.

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FOUR CONVICTS FOR ROADS.

Mayor Pro Tem. Cooper Sent Several to Castle Haynes Yesterday.

Four prisoners went out to the county chain gang yesterday as the grist from the grind of the municipal court Monday and yesterday.

Mary Crawford, colored, got 30 days for being drunk and disorderly and Pattie Loftin, colored, at whose house the police captured a couple of festive card players Monday afternoon, was sent out for 30 days for resisting Policemen George and Skipper upon the occasion of the arrests.

"Pluggy" Williams, who is becoming almost as well known in police circles as Henderson Hayes, was turned over to Superintendent Shearin for thirty days, and Isaac Gambler, charged with gambling, was bound over to the Superior Court and sent out for thirty days for resisting an officer.

Galloway Moore, colored, who was in the same game with Gambler and turned State's evidence, was recognized for his appearance in the Superior Court.

THE LOCAL MARKETS AND SHIPPING.

British Schooner Cleared for Jamaica, Capt. Meader, of the Scotia.

Cotton receipts yesterday 2,179 bales; same day last year, 3,229 bales.

British schooner *Leonard Parker* cleared yesterday for Kingston, Jamaica, with cargo of lumber and shingles, consigned by the Chadbourn Lumber Co.

Schooner *Thos. G. Smith*, hence with cargo, passed out at Southport at 3:30 P. M. yesterday.

Capt. Meader, of the schooner *Scotia*, now at Southport in distress, bound for Havana, Cuba, was formerly master of the schooner *Caroline Gray*, an old trader at this port. Capt. Meader was hospitably received in local shipping circles upon his arrival this week. His vessel will repair here and proceed. She has a cargo of paving from Maine.

ELKS' REUNION ASSOCIATION.

Organization Effected Yesterday By Election of Officers.

The Board of Governors of the Elks' Reunion Savings Association, which was referred to in these columns a few days ago, met yesterday and organized by the election of Mr. Jno. J. Fowler president, Mr. L. Stein vice president and Mr. H. J. Gerken secretary and treasurer.

The books of subscription to stock in the Association, which is to create a fund by which members may attend the Elks' Reunion in Baltimore in July 1903, are now open at the office of the secretary and treasurer. Nearly a hundred shares have already been taken. Every member of the Wilmington lodge is invited to call upon the secretary and have the plan outlined to them. The first payments begin Saturday.

Capt. Potter's Yacht Here.

The gasoline launch *Annie*, owned by Capt. Leter D. Potter, of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in port yesterday, bound to Rockland, Fla. Capt. Potter is aboard the little craft and shook hands with many friends while in the city yesterday. The *Annie* is 46 feet long, 9 feet in width and is a trim little launch in every respect. Capt. Potter was formerly of Southport.

Christian Science service at the Murchison Bank Building on Chesnut street, this evening at 8 o'clock. The public cordially invited.

RAILROAD MEETINGS.

Charleston and Western Carolina Stockholders In Annual Session Yesterday.

ALL OFFICIALS RE-ELECTED.

Atlantic Coast Line Directors In Richmond Monday—Interest In Terms Upon Which New Stock of the Company Will Be Issued.

Many of the officials, who attended the annual and special meetings of the Board of Directors and stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company in Richmond Monday, went to Charleston yesterday and were present at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Charleston and Western Carolina Railroad Company. The following Associated Press telegram received by the STAR last night gives an account of the meeting at Charleston:

"CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 18.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Charleston and Western Carolina railroad was held here to-day. The past year's business was shown to have been prosperous by the reports submitted.

"A. F. McKissick was elected a director to succeed the late D. A. P. Jordan. President J. B. Cleveland and the other directors were re elected."

In addition to the special and Associated Press telegrams printed in the STAR yesterday in regard to the Richmond meetings Monday the Richmond *Dispatch* of yesterday says more comprehensively:

"At a meeting of the newly-elected board of directors Mr. Henry Walters was elected chairman of the board. Mr. John R. Kenly was elected general manager in addition to the position of fourth vice president. Mr. James F. Post was elected treasurer, Mr. Herbert L. Borden was elected secretary, Mr. H. M. Emerson was elected traffic manager, Mr. H. C. Prince was elected comptroller. The executive and financial committees remain the same as heretofore. The election of the third and fourth vice presidents, secretary, and traffic manager are new elections.

"The various railroad officials in attendance on the meetings held in Richmond yesterday morning left for Charleston, S. C., in their private cars last night in order to hold the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Charleston and Western Carolina Railroad Company there to-day."

The Richmond *Times* says:

"There was the greatest interest here in the terms upon which the new stock to be issued by the company would be placed on the market, but as to this Mr. Walters, chairman of the Board of Directors, was not willing to make any statement. He said neither the exact amount of the issue nor the price at which it would be sold had been fixed at this time.

"It is probable the capital stock will be increased from $23,150,000 to $38,-150,000 and issue of $35,000,000 of fifty year 4 per cent. bonds made. The purpose of this issue will be to pay for the 306,000 shares of the Louisville and Nashville stock, which has been acquired. Under the recent deal $10,-000,000 in cash is required. As to the price and rights which may be granted stockholders, nothing was given out yesterday, but about Friday of this week it is expected that Mr. Walters will issue a circular giving full information. The details of the issue, said a gentlemen last night, who is in a position to know, have not been finally agreed upon, but will be determined and announced this week."

DR. K. J. POWERS IS DEAD.

Passed Away Early Yesterday Morning After Brief Illness—Funeral From Late Residence Yesterday.

A very wide circle of friends in Wilmington and throughout Eastern North Carolina will regret exceedingly to hear of the death of Dr. K. J. Powers, which occurred at his home in this city, No. 216 South Second street, at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning, after a brief illness. He was a well known physician, skilled in his profession and a man above reproach. His death came all the more a shock to the community because it was unexpected.

Dr. Powers was born at Willard, Duplin county, Dec. 22nd, 1848, and he was therefore in the 54th year of his age. He lived in his native town and county and practiced his profession with great success until about four years ago when he removed with his family to Wilson, N. C., and was one of the surgeons of the Atlantic Coast Line corps. Later, in 1901, he removed to Wilmington and continued the practice of his profession with distinction. It was while in the enjoyment of the fruits of many years experience that his splendid career was cut short and his family deeply bereaved.

Dr. Powers is survived by a devoted wife and four children, the latter being Messrs. Thomas and James Powers and Misses Mary and Lizzie Powers, all of this city.

The funeral was conducted from the late residence at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Dr. A. D. McClure and Dr. J. M. Wells, of the Presbyterian church, and the interment was with Masonic honors in Oakdale cemetery. The services were largely attended and the floral tributes were many. The following were the pall-bearers: Honorary, Dr. T. V. Moore, of Leland, N. C. and Drs. J. C. Shepard, E. S. Pigford, and A. D. McDonald, of Wilmington; active, Capt. R. W. Price, Capt. W. P. Oldham, Dr. J. D. Webster, Dr. Jno. H. Hardin and Messrs. E. D. Sloan and J. B. Mercer.

— Miss Mattie Horne left Monday for Florence, S. C., to sing in the operatic production by local talent there Friday night of Sullivan's "Trial by Jury."

COMING OF GEN. GORDON.

Distinguished Confederate and Platform Orator Was Here Yesterday, But Comes Again Thursday.

General John B. Gordon, the distinguished Confederate veteran and Commander-in-Chief of all U. C. V. camps in the United States, was a guest at The Orton for a few hours yesterday, having arrived at noon from Rockingham, N. C., where he lectured on the night previous. General Gordon was entertained during his brief visit to the city by Brigadier General James I. Metts, of General Carr's staff, and by Capt. W. R. Kenan and Col. W. J. Woodward. The distinguished visitor left yesterday afternoon for Marion, S. C., where he expected to deliver a lecture under the auspices of the Southern Lyceum Bureau, of Louisville, Ky., last night.

Special interest attached to Gen. Gordon's visit yesterday from the fact that he is to appear here in his splendid lecture, "First Days of the Confederacy," to-morrow evening at the Academy of Music. The coming of Gen. Gordon yesterday was made known to Brigadier General Metts through the medium of a private telegram early in the day from Maj. Edwin Sully, a distinguished Confederate of Rockingham, who always rejoices at an opportunity to do honor to the Lost Cause. Gen. Gordon was met at the station by Gen. Metts, Col. Woodward and Capt. Kenan and given a carriage escort to The Orton, where Gen. Metts and Capt. Kenan had lunch with him between trains. Gen. Gordon will go from Marion, S. C., to Washington, N. C., where he will lecture to-night.

To-morrow evening Gen. Gordon's appearance here will be the occasion of a grand Confederate rally. A meeting of Cape Fear Camp will be held to-night at 8 o'clock at the W. L. I. armory and elaborate arrangements will be made for the entertainment of the veterans' chief. The camp will likely attend in uniform and in a body.

The following committee was yesterday appointed to escort Gen. Gordon from the station to the Orton, where he will be a guest, and later to the Opera House at the proper hour for the lecture, viz: Capt. W. R. Kenan, Mr. Sol. Bear, Rev. J. R. Marshall, Col. W. L. DeRosset, Col. W. J. Woodward and Capt. James I. Metts. The committee will have seats on the stage and Brigadier General Metts will introduce the lecturer.

Seats are now on sale for the event. The general admission is fifty cents, while reserved seats are 75 cents and $1.00.

The progamme by Hollowbush's Orchestra for the lecture of General Gordon is as follows:

March—"Jolly Students," Lamb.
Overture—Medley, Umeeda.
Morceau Characteristic—Theo. Benedict.
Darkey Jubilee—Introducing dances on the levee.
Ko Ko—Japanese Dance, Theo F. Morse.
Southern Medley—Exit March, Fettle.

CIGAR FACTORY FOR WILMINGTON.

Pittsburg Concern, Understood to be A. T. Co, Wants Location Here.

The United States Cigar Company, which is said to be a branch of the American Tobacco Company, wants to establish a factory for the manufacture of cheroots and stogies in Wilmington.

The company has its general offices in Pittsburg, Pa., and is locating factories in several Southern cities upon the granting of certain concessions, which, it is claimed, are not unreasonable. Charleston and Savannah have recently accepted offers for the location of factories under the conditions imposed, and it is probable that Wilmington will do the same. The company has unlimited capital, and will no doubt carry out any contract to the letter.

It is understood that the matter will be brought to the attention of the Chamber of Commerce or its Executive Committee at the next meeting.

UNDERGROUND SYSTEM OF WIRES.

Excavations Begun Yesterday By Southern Bell Telephone Company.

A force of men under the direction of Mr. Jno. M. Fogle yesterday commenced work at Front and Red Cross streets upon the excavations for the underground system of wires for the Southern Bell Telephone Co. The excavations will extend south along Front street, from the point of beginning, to Orange street, with laterals down intersecting streets for half a block. The wires on Princess street, from Water to Fifth street, will also be put undergrouud in the same manner.

The work is being done under supervision for the city of Mr. Lewis B. Hatch, acting-surveyor, and the company, according to the terms of the agreement, has posted with the City Clerk and Treasurer a certified check for $400 to guarantee proper restoration of the streets after excavations.

Funeral of Mrs. Benton.

The funeral of the late Mrs. W. J. Benton, whose death occurred Monday afternoon, was conducted at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning from the late residence, 707 South Fifth street, Rev. C. W. Traywick, of Immanuel Presbyterian church, officiating. The interment was in Bellevue, the following having acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. Chas. Frost, Boswell Wilson, D. C. Canady and Wm. D. DeVane.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Maury Ward, of Rose Hill, N. C., is in the city on a business trip.

— Mrs. J. W. Harris, of Cartersville, Ga., is the guest of her father, Capt. A. L. DeRosset.

— Capt. Mart Jones, of Georgetown, S. C., is in the city on a visit to friends and relatives.

— Mr. F. A. Wood, of Camden Junction, S. C., is in the city visiting his mother, Mrs. E. A. Silva.

— Dr. R. T. Vann, president of the Baptist Female University, Raleigh, was here yesterday.

— Mr. H. T. Baker left for Portsmouth, Va., last evening to attend the marriage of his brother, Mr. C. A. Baker.

Tobacco Warehouse Committee.

The Secretary of State has granted the charter to the Wilmington Tobacco Warehouse Company, authorized capital stock $100,000, and a meeting of shareholders will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of organization. A correct list of the incorporators is: Messrs. George R. French, Gabriel Holmes, W. E. Worth, Geo. O. Gaylord, H. L. Vollers and W. B. Cooper.

Capt. John H. Sharp Here.

Capt. Jno. H. Sharp, of Portsmouth, is in the city, having arrived yesterday. Capt. Sharp, who is most pleasantly remembered in Wilmington, is here to attend a meeting this afternoon of the Wilmington Railway Bridge Company, of which he is secretary and treasurer. The meeting will be held at the office of the Seaboard Air Line in this city at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

THE STATE'S PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.

Board of Examiners Submits Its Report With Recommendations.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 18.—The Board of Examiners of the State institutions filed a report with the Governor to-day to be transmitted with his report to the Legislature. The report gives the result of the Board's examination of the State institutions together with recommendations as to appropriations. The report shows that all are well managed. It recommends that State aid to colored normal schools be concentrated upon one or two instead of ten as now. The aggregate appropriations recommended for all institutions to the next Legislature is $800,000 against $700,000 by the last Legislature. The falling off is in funds for permanent improvements for which only about $75,000 is allowed and $40,000 of that is to the A. & M. College for the buildings burned and now rebuilt on borrowed money.

The report shows the penitentiary self-sustaining. It leaves the question of an appropriation to rebuild dykes on the Roanoke river farm without recommendation. The members of the Board individually oppose it and say the cost is an immense amount and the dykes are liable to be swept away at any time. The farm still has 5,000 acres to cultivate with convicts.

The Secretary of State to-day dissolved the Wilmington and Coast Turnpike Company, of Wilmington, which has gone out of business.

The Governor appoints Mitchell Hamilton oyster inspector, vice J. W. Mason, resigned to become a member of the Legislature.

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Visiting brethren cordially invited.
C. C. BROWN,
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The Morning Star.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING. NOV. 19.

COMPETITION IN COTTON GROWING.

Some time ago we published an article on the efforts being made in other countries to stimulate the cotton-growing industry with the view and hope of eventually making the cotton manufacturers of the old world independent of the cotton fields of the South. There are vast acres in Africa, in Southern Siberia, in Southern China, in India, in Central and in South America, adapted to the culture of the plant, in some of which systematic and continued experiments have been made, with more or less success, enough to encourage the hope that growing cotton on an extensive scale is practicable, or will become so.

While it has not yet made progress enough to be a cause of alarm to the Southern cotton grower, it has made enough in some of the countries named to make him put on his thinking cap and ask himself if he has such a tight grip on that industry that it may not be eventually wrested from him, at least to the extent of depriving him of the practical monopoly which he has had of that business.

The great dams constructed by a British syndicate on the upper Nile, enable them to regulate the overflow and to bring under cultivation millions of acres adapted to the growing of cotton. That is at least the present belief.

The experiments made by the Germans in their possessions in South Africa under the direction and superintendence of the negroes sent by Booker T. Washington have demonstrated that a good quality of cotton can be grown there, some of which has been sent to Germany, where it has been pronounced equal to American middling. The experiments there have been such as to encourage continued effort and schemes for the building of a railroad to transport the cotton to the coast.

But what appears to be so far the most promising field is in the British possessions in Southeast Africa, where the industry has been taken hold of with British pluck and tenacity. It is said that in that territory the crop matures in ninety days and is in every respect equal to the American plant, which produced the seed from which this was grown.

The president of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce is quoted as saying that it is only a question of time and labor when that will be a great cotton producing section. The problem could be readily solved, he says, of the colonization of Southern negroes could be induced, but he does not consider that practicable. The wages paid natives is at present 4 cents a day, and at the present stage of the industry the growers do not deem it prudent to increase it lest it might encourage the laborers to expect and demand further increases from time to time.

Of course they can't expect much out of such poorly paid labor as that, and if they were to import negroes from the South they would have to pay them as much or more than they were paid on Southern plantations, which would demoralize the native labor which would doubtless object to discrimination in favor of the American hands, so that the labor question seems to be the principal impediment to cotton culture on a large scale in that section

But if the successful growing of the plant is such a certainty as it is represented to be, and labor is the chief thing to be provided, why wouldn't it be feasible for English syndicates to lay out large plantations, colonize negroes from the South and thus be independent of the native labor? Such syndicates would in all probability have the co-operation of some of the negroes in this country who have been contending that emigration to Africa is the ultimate and only solution of the race problem in this country. Such colonies to work those cotton fields would be starters in the colonization programme and would have something solid to go upon, for there would be certainty of employment for those who went.

In southern Siberia the industry has made considerable headway and the promoters feel confident of soon being able to supply the demands of the Russian mills, although those mills are annually increasing. The growers there understand the business and the American way of handling the product from the plantation to the mill, having taken their lessons in this country. When Russia decided to try that industry in Southern Siberia the Government sent two educated, scientific gentlemen to this country and they spent two years on a plantation in Georgia where they were afforded all the facilities for studying and mastering the business from the plowing of the land and planting the seed to the ginning, baling and preparing for market. At the end of their practical American apprenticeship they returned to Russia, and had shipped carefully selected seed enough to make the start with it in Southern Siberia.

That was the beginning of the cotton-growing industry in that country. It was a success from the beginning and every year has added considerably to the area under cultivation. That was about seven years ago. At the past rate of increase in production there will within the next seven years be more cotton grown than the number of mills at present in operation can consume, but the mills will in all probability keep pace with the increased production of cotton, for even with the present 136,000,000 of people in Russia, there is little danger of too many mills being built or of too much cotton being produced.

Outside of this country cotton is now grown in Southern Siberia, China, India, Japan, Egypt, South Africa, Mexico, Central America, South America and in some of the West Indies, which shows that it is a more universal plant than some people think and that, geographically at least, the South has not a monopoly of the growing.

But the South has the advantage in having the industry established, in understanding it thoroughly, in having the necessary labor, with labor-saving machinery, and all the transportation necessary by land and water to reach the home mills and the home and foreign markets; but this does not necessarily mean that the South will always dominate that industry, and therefore the Southern planter should begin, before forced to it, to put himself on solid ground so as to be independent of cotton if the supremacy in that industry should be wrested from him. He should turn his attention to cattle raising, sheep raising, hog raising, grain and grass growing, dairying, butter-making, fruit, vegetable and nut growing, and to other lines that would bring in an income and make the farm not only self-sustaining but profitable, regardless of the cotton grown, whether much or little. This every well managed Southern farm can be made to do.

THE BULL OF THE BRUSHIES.

Hon. Romulus Z. Linney, ex-member of Congress, familiarly known as "the Bull of the Brushies," is achieving some distinction as a factor in the alleged unpleasantness between President Roosevelt and Hon. Jeter C. Pritchard.

Romulus Z. was in Marshall, Madison county, Senator Pritchard's home town, just after the late election. He didn't feel in a particularly pleasant mood, and remembering Gen. Clarkson's performances, in which he went back so dead on Pritchard's freeze out movement, declaring that he voiced not only his own but the sentiments of Mr. Roosevelt, Romulus let his dander get the better of the small stock of discretion he carries around with him, and from Senator Pritchard's porch made a speech in which he called for three cheers for Senator Hanna, and declared for him for President to succeed Roosevelt.

That was too much for Roosevelt, so the story goes, and when he heard it, he concluded that the "Bull of the Brushies" was bellowing not only for himself but also for his friend Pritchard, and then and there the gentleman from Marshall became a persona non grata in the Presidential circle.

Soon after the axe was applied and the head of Collector Bingham, of Alabama, who was one of the prime movers with Mr. Pritchard in the freeze out business, dropped into the basket.

And now it is said that Linney's nomination of Hanna from Mr. Pritchard's porch, is to be followed up all along the lily white line, and that they will work hard to throw the Southern delegations to Hanna as the man who would be the most formidable opponent of Roosevelt, if he can be persuaded to enter the race. It is said they will work on that line whether they get any encouragement from Hanna or not, for they are dead against Roosevelt for going back on them as he has. There may or may not be something in this, but the indications are that the change of front by Mr. Roosevelt, and the lay out of the lily whites, may add some gaiety to the situation as events develop.

A Wilkesbarre, Pa., editor has made the discovery that from $35,000 to $40,000 was spent in the recent election, in his county. As he is curious to know "where it has all gone" the inference is that he didn't get any of it. He doesn't seem to be interested in where it came from.

We regret the death of W. S. Herbert, editor of the Kinston *Free Press*, which occurred at his home in Kinston Sunday from apoplexy. He was an able and industrious editor, who will be missed from the rans of journalism in this State.

The country editors in the West are not allowing the farmers to monopolize all the diamonds, etc. But the editor who was recently robbed of three thousand dollars worth of jewelry will have to lay in a fresh stock, or moderate his lying.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

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DANGER OF TOO MUCH TOBACCO.

Col. Jno. C. Cunningham, of Person county, is the largest individual tobacco planter in North Carolina, if not in the United States. He is a man who has made a success of the business because he conducts it systematically and intelligently. He is now engaged in the work of organizing the tobacco growers of this State, with the view of warding off some of the dangers that he believes confronts them, as some of the results of the recent high prices of the leaf. He was in Durham a few days ago and is thus quoted by the *Herald*:

In answer to a question he said that the present high prices of tobacco was causing the farmers to rush the weed on the market in every section of the tobacco growing district. Speaking of the outlook he said that he was fearful that the high price this year would cause the farmers to plant an over crop of tobacco next in neglect of looking after the raising of grain and meat. If this is done, he said, and there should be a bad year for raising tobacco or the weed was to fall to a very low price then it would bring on hardships and much suffering.

He said that his motto was to first raise all the meats, grain, etc., needed and then raise tobacco on the side. This is what he would advise all to do and he is a man with much experience as a planter.

There is always danger of over-cropping when prices run high. This is almost invariably the case, not in tobacco alone, but in cotton and other products, and not only in the South but throughout the country.

Last year there was a short Irish potato crop, and prices went away up. The result was an immense acreage this year and Irish potatoes in the West will not pay to haul to market. Last year there was a short crop of corn and this year with the increased acreage and favoring conditions there is a phenomenal, record-breaking crop. It is so in everything, and may prove so in tobacco, unless the tendency to increase the acreage as a result of present good prices be checked. Therefore the advice he gives in the extract we quote, to make tobacco the subordinate crop, is good advice, and would in the end bring in more money to the planters than a big crop, making that their sole dependence. A few acres, well handled, and put on the market in good shape, will bring more money than many acres poorly handled.

The Indianapolis *Journal*, Republican, asserts on the authority of "a Republican of unquestionable reliability" that Wm. J. Bryan during the late campaign sent 15,000 letters to Democrats in Indiana, urging them to work for the defeat of the Democratic State ticket. This informant was doubtless a Republican of unquestioned re-*lie*-ability. Wouldn't it have been a very easy matter to have secured, and published at least one of those 15,000 missives?

The Governor of Alabama is opposed to hiring out the State convicts, and will probably recommend the establishment of State farms, or some other way of employing the convicts under State supervision.

BOOK NOTICES.

The North American Review for November presents an excellent list of contents, embracing twenty papers on political, economic and other subjects, in addition to miscellaneous matter of interest. Address The North American Review, Franklin Square, New York.

Men who are interested in schemes for establishing manufactories will get some valuable points on how to raise capital from a pamphlet, the fifth edition of which has just been issued, by Mr. D. A. Tompkins, the author, of Charlotte. It covers the whole ground, and is a very valuable publication.

We are indebted to the publishers, Messrs. Forbes & Company, Boston, for a handsomely bound and neatly printed volume of poems entitled "Pickett's Charge," by Fred Emerson Brooks. The reader of poetry will enjoy it, for there are poems both sentimental and humorous, two hundred pages making as a whole an interesting volume. Price $1.25.

The ladies will find the December, or Christmas number of *The Delineator* a capital number, filled with interesting reading matter and with cuts in colors presenting the various styles of dress, which with the several departments makes it a valuable publication in the household. At $1 a year, or 15 cents a copy, this is an extraordinarily cheap monthly. Address The Butterick Publishing Company, No. 17 West Thirteenth Street, New York.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Craig, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free. †

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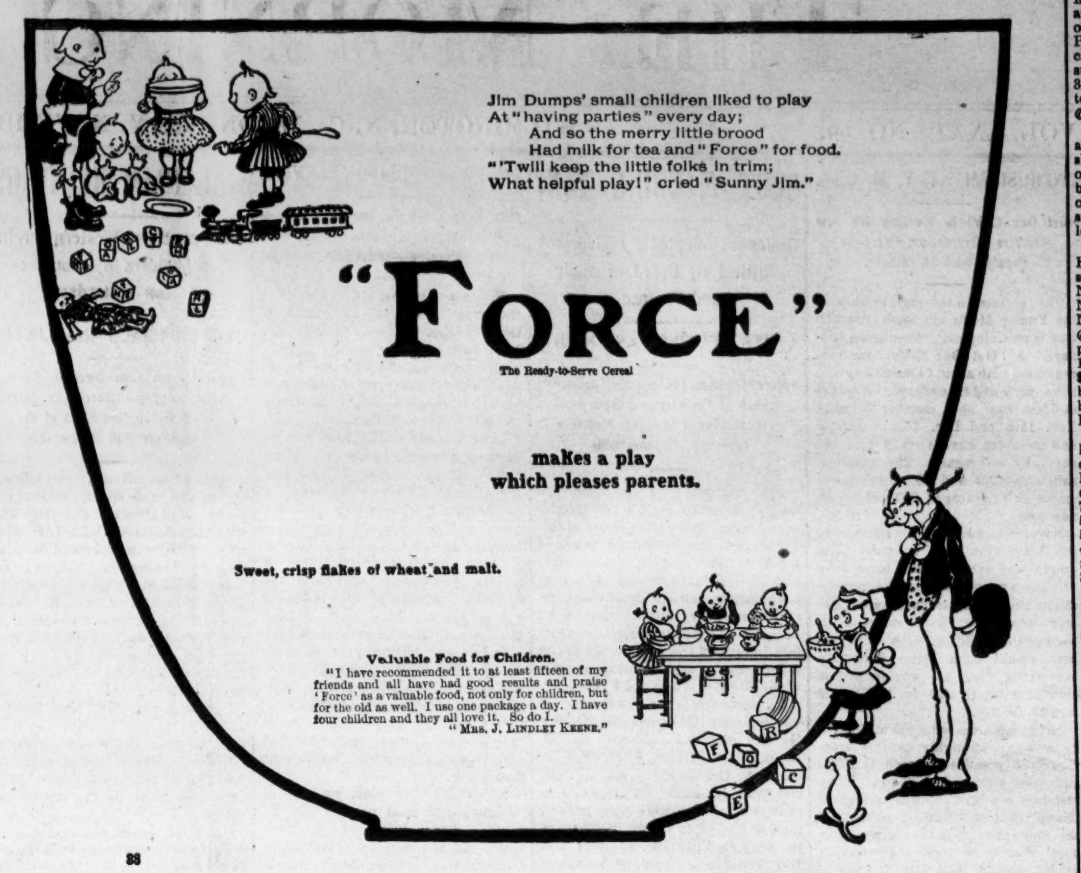
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CURRENT COMMENT.

——Holt Collier, the colored guide who is conducting the President's bear hunt in Mississippi, found a bear, but had to kill it himself "If the Colonel had stayed whar I put him," said Collier with regard to Mr. Roosevelt, "he would 'er done got this yere one." Collier is barely beginning to make the acquaintance of "the Colonel," who does not even stay where he puts himself.—*Norfolk Landmark, Dem.*

—— "Has 'the most august deliberative body in the world,'" asks a contemporary, "ceased since the election last week to be part and parcel of the United States Government?" It seems to have ceased some time before that. The United States Government now consists of one Theodore Roosevelt, official and unofficial, assisted, when he so chooses, by a commission or two of his own selection.—*Louisville Courier Journal, Dem.*

—— The "bear movement" in the Mississippi canbrakes seems to have had as depressing an effect on Roosevelt stock as the "bear movement" in Wall street had on other stocks. One lone, lean creature, weighing but 235 pounds, was chased, surrounded and worried by men and dogs until exhausted he fell into a hole and was unable to crawl away before he was stabbed to death by a compassionate hunter, not the President. Poor little bear! If he could only tell us what he thought of the strenuous life before he left it!—*Brooklyn Citizen, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

— The sleep-walker is no idle dreamer.—*Puck.*

— The Cur (in his flight)—Now I know what they mean when they say that it is the soul that separates man from the beast.—*Cornell Widow.*

— "She says her picture didn't do her justice." "No; if it had she'd have been madder yet."

— The most remunerative thing some men could do would be to draw a check on their imaginations.

— One generation makes money, the next burns it, and the next lives by sifting the ashes.—*Punch.*

— "But she used to be considered quite a beauty." "That was before her father failed."—*Detroit Free Press.*

— She—Why are you so sure your play will be a success? "Why, even the manager blushed when he read it."—*Life.*

— Those whom the gods love may die young, but by so doing they don't arouse any jealousy in the rest of us."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

— "In my day the motto of college men was, 'It is sweet and glorious to die for one's country.'" "It's just the same now, only they do it on the gridiron."

— "Shure, Oi'm no partisan, Jerry. Oi vote for th' best man." "An' how c'n yez tell which wuz th' best man till afther th' votes ar-re counted, Dinny?"—*Chicago News.*

— Of Gladstone Henry Labouchere once remarked: "I do not object to Mr. Gladstone's occasionally having an ace up his sleeve. But I do wish he would not always say that Providence put it there."—*Argonaut.*

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Clyde steamship Oneida, Rich, New York and Providence, H G Smallbones.

CLEARED.

Clyde steamship Geo W Clyde, Chichester, Georgetown, H G Smallbones.

British schooner Leonard Parker, Hogan, Kingston, Jamaica, George Harriss, Son & Co.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

KINGSTON—British schooner Leonard Parker, 230,786 feet lumber and 197,000 shingles, valued at $4,916.95; cargo by Chadbourn Lumber Co; vessel by George Harriss, Son & Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 19.

STEAMSHIPS.

Kurland, (Ger) 1,234 tons, Petersen, Heide & Co.
Mountby, (Br) 2,113 tons, Payne, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Zambesi, (Br) 2,415 tons, Rooney, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Wandby, (Br) 2,580 tons, Finney, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

J C Strawbridge, 758 tons, Coombs, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Estelle, 489 tons, Hutchenson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Emily F Northam, 315 tons, Pennewell, to master.
Lizzie H Patrick, 419 tons, Henderson, to master.
C C Lister, 267 tons, Moore, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Josephine, 303 tons, Ayres, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Edward Stewart, 353 tons, Winslow, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Britanis, (Br) 263 tons, Nickerson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Damietta & Joanna, 273 tons, Yort, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

E S Powell, 558 tons, Jones, George Harriss, Son & Co.
From, (Nor) 699 tons, Andersen, Heide & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—31 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 195 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar, 35 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—615 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—1,330 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels rosin, 78 barrels tar, 47 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—167 bales cotton, 16 casks spirits turpentine, 16 barrels tar.

Steamer Whitlock—31 bales cotton, 18 barrels tar.

Schooner Argyle—5 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 56 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar.

Total—2,179 bales cotton, 47 casks spirits turpentine, 257 barrels rosin, 124 barrels tar, 84 barrels crude turpentine.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, November 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel for strained and $1.30 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.00 for dip.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar steady at $1.35; crude turpentine firm at $1.10 @2.60.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	47
Rosin	257
Tar	124
Crude turpentine	84

Receipts same day last year—32 casks spirits turpentine, 106 barrels rosin, 103 barrels tar, 66 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 7¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5½ cts. ℔ lb
Good ordinary	6¾ " "
Low middling	7⅜ " "
Middling	7¾ " "
Good middling	8 9-16 " "

Same day last year, market firm at 7¼c for middling.

Receipts—2,179 bales; same day last year, 3,229.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 80c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish (new), 65@70c.

CORN—Firm; 70@75c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 21@22c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 10c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 60c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Money on call was firm at 4@5½ per cent.; market closing, bid and asked, at 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange was steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486.875 for demand and 483.75 for sixty days. The posted rates were 485@488. Commercial bills 483@483½. Bar silver 49¼. Mexican dollars quoted at 39. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds easier. U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 108½; U. S. funding 2's, registered, 108½; U. S. 3's, registered, 108; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new registered, 136; do. coupon, 136; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 109¼; do. coupon, 109¼; U. S. 5's, registered, 104; do. coupon, 104; Southern Railway, 5's, 118½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 97⅞. Chesapeake & Ohio 44¼; Manhattan L 142; New York Central 149; Reading 56½; do. 1st preferred 85½; do. 2nd preferred 71¾; St. Paul 173¾; do. pref'd, 189; Southern Railway 32; do. pref'd 92; Amalgamated Copper ex dividend 54⅝; People's Gas 99⅝; Sugar 117¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 56; U. S. Leather 12¾; do. pref'd, 89¾; Western Union 89; U. S. Steel 36½; do. pref'd 84; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 63⅞; do. preferred, 123; Standard Oil, 665@670.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 18.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 25¾@26; do. preferred, 44¼@45; bonds, fours, 83¾@84.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Rosin firm. Spirits turpentine steady, 53@53½.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 18.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 18.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 51c; receipts 1,333 casks; sales 1,195 casks; exports 1,951 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 4,253 barrels; sales 1,673 barrels; exports 16,306 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $1 40, D, $1 40, E, $1 45; F, $1 50; G, $1 60; H, $1 80; I, $2 05; K $2 55; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 15.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of three to six points. Leading operators were heavy buyers, largely in the way of covering short contracts; but in increasing part, absorbing cotton on investment account, being actuated by higher cables than looked for and by unfavorable weather conditions in important sections of the South, heavy frosts being reported in Texas and heavy rains in the more easterly sections of the cotton belt, threatening the top crop. At the same time there was a growing fear as to the character of the monthly crop report, due from Washington December 3rd. Room traders who had bought yesterday quite freely were heavy buyers again this morning, but at the advance noted hesitation in public support was attracted and a selling movement was instituted by the room contingent, resulting in a reaction of three to nine points, after which the market showed a renewed upward tendency, with the close steady at a net rise of three to ten points. During the session Europe was a heavy buyer, with private cables explaining the better feeling abroad by the influence of advices from this side to the effect that the top crop outlook was not improving, for the want of propitious weather. Trading throughout the session was active, with sales estimated at 350,000 bales. A Philadelphia house bought the near positions freely, being reported short to spinners. The Southern spot markets were steady to 1-16 higher, while the local market for the spot article advanced five points. Wall street was a considerable buyer throughout the session, having re-entered the market on record consumption theory.

NEW YORK, Nov 18.—Cotton quiet at 8.35c; net receipts 760 bales; gross receipts 990 bales; stock 80,620 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and steady and 5 points higher; middling uplands 8.35; middling gulf 8.60c; sales — bales.

Futures closed steady: November 8.11, December 8.15, Jan'ry 8.11, February 8.00, March 8.03, April 8.02, May 8 04, June 8.04, July 8.07, August 7.85.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 62,857 bales; exports to Great Britain 28 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 2,753 bales; stock 826,940 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 170,696 bales; exports to Great Britain 39,363 bales; exports to France 25,054 bales; exports to the Continent 62,308 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 3,105,640 bales; exports to Great Britain 864,198 bales; exports to France 243,635 bales; exports to the Continent 953,190 bales.

Nov. 18.—Galveston, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 25,774 bales; Norfolk, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 4,848 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7¾c, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 8.30, net receipts 39 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 2,179 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 8.60c, net receipts 43 bales; Savannah, steady at 7½c, net receipts 9,885 bales; New Orleans, firm at 7 1-116, net receipts 16,373 bales; Mobile, steady at 7½c, net receipts 2,110 bales; Memphis, steady at 7¼c, net receipts 6,644 bales; Augusta, firm at 7½c, net receipts 2,061 bales; Charleston, quiet at 7½c, net receipts 677 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Flour was quiet, being still held 10@15c above buyers' views; Minnesota patents $3 90@4 10. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 78¾. There was a sharp advance in wheat again to-day and a repetition of the bullish features noted yesterday, including manipulation West, higher cables vigorous covering, the corn strength and smaller Northwest receipts The market closed ¼@¾c net higher and firm. Sales: March closed 82¼; May closed 80½; December closed 80½c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 65½c. December corn advanced over 1c per bushel again on poor trading and a scare of shorts, with May following at a moderate pace, the close being ½@1½c net higher all around. The sales included: January closed 53¾c; May closed 48; November closed —c; December closed 61¾c. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2, 35c. Options quiet and steady all day; December 36¼c. Lard steady; refined quiet. Pork steady. Tallow—Market was steady; city ($3 per package) 6½c; country (packages free) 6¼@6¾c. Rice firm. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 8 3-16c; mild dull; Cordova 7¾@13c. Sugar—Raw quoted firm; fair refining 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test 3 11-16; confectioner's $4 40; mould A $4 80; cut loaf $5 15; crushed $5 15; powdered $4 65; granulated $4 55; cubes $4 80; refined firm. Potatoes steady; Long Island $2 00@2 30; South Jersey sweets $1 50@2 75; Jerseys $1 75@2 05; New York and Western per 180 lbs., $1 75@2 00. Butter firm; extra creamery 27c; State dairy 19@25½c. Cheese firm; new State full cream, small colored fancy, old 12¾@13c; new 12½c; small white old 12¾@13c; new 12½. Peanuts dull; fancy hand-picked 5@5¼; other domestic 3½@5¼. Cabbages easy; Long Island per 100 $1 00@1 75. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 12c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania average best 28@28½c. Cotton seed oil quiet and steady. Closing prices: Prime crude here nominal; prime crude f. o. b. mills 27½@29c; prime summer yellow 35c; off summer yellow 34@34½c; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40½c; prime meal $27 00@28 00, nominal.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Corn was very active to-day and urgent demand from shorts caused higher prices, the close on December being 2¼ higher. December wheat closed ¾ a ⅞c. higher; but oats were ⅛c. lower. January provisions closed from 5c. to 7½ a 10c. lower.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Cash prices: Flour—Market firm. Wheat—No. 2 spring 73@74½c; No. 3 spring 67@73c; No. 2 red 73@73½c. Corn—No. 2 57½c; No. 2 yellow 57½c. Oats—No. 2 28½c; No. 2 white 37c; No. 3 white 28¾@34c. Rye—No. 2 50½. Mess pork, per barrel, $16 87½@17 00. Lard, per 100 lbs., $11 30. Short rib sides, loose, $9 75@9 87½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 47½@9 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 87½@10 12½. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November—, December 73¾@73½, 73⅞, 73¾, 73¾@73¾c; May 76½@76½, 76¾, 76½, 76⅝c. Corn—No. 2 November 56¾, 58¾, 56⅝, 57¾; December 55¾@56, 58½, 55¼, 57⅞c; May 43¾@43½, 43¾, 42¼, 42⅝c. Oats—No. 2 December, new, 30, 30¼, 29⅝, 29¾c; May 31¾@31½, 31½, 31¼, 31⅜. Mess pork, per bbl—January $15 30, 15 30, 15 22½, 15 15; May $14 40, 14 45, 14 40, 14 40. Lard, per 100 lbs—November $10 80, 10 85, 10 80, 10 85; December $9 72½, 9 80, 9 72½, 9 77½; January $9 12½, 9 15, 9 10, 9 12½; May $8 60, 8 60, 8 55, 8 57½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $7 95, 7 97½, 7 92½, 7 95; May $7 72½, 7 72½, 7 72½, 7 75.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 18.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business done; prices two points higher; American middling fair 4.88d; good middling 4.52d; middling 4.44d; low middling 4.34d; good ordinary 4.22d; ordinary 4.10d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,600 bales American. Receipts 32,000 bales, including 30,800 bales American.

Futures opened and closed steady; American middling (g o c) November 4.35@4.36d; November and December 4.31@4.32d; December and January 4.30d; January and February 4.29d; February and March 4.29d; March and April 4.29d; April and May 4.29d; May and June 4.29d; June and July 4.29@4.30d; July and August 4.29d.

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	Nov. 10, 1902, were		160,015 82
	Increase		39,301 87
Paid in dividends to stockholders since Feb. 10, 1902,			11,250 00
Actual profit for nine months			$50,551 87
The deposits in the Atlantic National Bank	Feb. 10, 1902, were		$1,285,066 46
	Nov. 10, 1902, were		1,447,381 92
Increase in deposits for nine months			$ 162,315 46

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: Not unexpected, but with none the less oppressive sadness to this community did the news go forth throughout the city Sunday afternoon of the death of Mr. Leslie C. Southerland, which occured at his home at 5:20 o'clock, aged 34 years.

—Yanceyville *Democrat*: Rev. T. H. Walker of Pelham died Monday. He was the noted Gretna Green preacher of the country and had married over two thousand couples. His death was from pneumonia and of a short duration. So popular was he as a marriage parson at the time of his death he was deputy Register of Deeds for the purpose of issuing marriage licenses.

— Warrenton *Record*: In our rambles about town yesterday we were shown an oddity. On the back of a postal card 2,635 words were legibly written, the subject matter being taken from the first, second, third and fourth chapters of St. John's Gospel. The work was executed by Mr. Willie White, and he says that he can crowd 3,000 words in the same space.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: The "Grandfather" clause of the Constitutional Amendment has thrown the Clerks of the Superior Courts of North Carolina up to their eyes in work, the law requiring a minute registration, separately by townships, in two great volumes, one of which is transmitted to the Secretary of State, every permanent voter having a certificate from the Superior Court Clerk. In Cumberland, up to 11 o'clock this morning, Major A. A. McKethan had recorded 2,345 permanent voters, with two townships to report, and it is estimated that the total number will reach 3,000, out of an aggregate registration of about 3,700.

— Salisbury *Sun*: The wood working establishment of Peacock and Graf with thousand of dollars worth of finished products was almost entirely destroyed by fire yesterday morning between 3 and 4 o'clock. How the fire originated is still a mystery, although there are two theories advanced by Mr. A. H. Graf, one of the partners in the business. The place was either fired by an incendiary or else some one was attempting to enter the office through the rear of the building with which the office is connected in order to gain access to the safe and dropped a lighted match in the building. The incendiary theory is the most probable one.

— Asheville *Citizen*: Western North Carolina is to have a pulp paper factory. The enterprise is backed by millions of dollars and will be one of the largest industries of the kind in the entire south. Already are the promoters of this new industry for this section on the field of action and are negotiating for the purchase of a large boundary of land, known as the Whittier lands, located near Forney creek. The lands in question contain 72,000 acres. The western North Carolina mill will only manufacture pulp paper, but will also turn out the finished product. The kinds of wood used will be hemlock and balsam. The Whittier lands are said to be famous for their fine growth of both of these woods. This industry means much not only to the lumber interests of this section, but to the commercial growth as well.

— Raleigh *Post*: William McKee, night watchman at the William Whittam textile plant on the French Broad river, five miles below Asheville, was accidentally shot and instantly killed Sunday night by William Bearwood, a young Englishman. The men were examining a loaded pistol, when the revolver was discharged. —— A *Post* writer was shown yesterday a number of exceptionally fine stalks of cotton cut from a forty-acre field on the plantation of Mr. W. G. Wilson, of Wilson's Mill. They were cut especially for the purpose of showing the heavy second crop which, however, was nipped by frost so that it will not develop. Mr. Wilson had already picked 41 bales of cotton from the forty-acre field, and the second or top crop would certainly have been fully as much did not the frost prevent it from maturing.

Hungry, but Fastidious.

"Lady," said the wayfarer, "I can't eat these scraps."

"You can't?" said the housewife in surprise. "Why, you just told me that you were so hungry you could eat a house."

"Yes, mum; but I meant a porterhouse."—Chicago News.

Knew Her.

He—So you know my wife?

She—Oh, very well indeed.

He—I wasn't aware you had met.

She—We haven't, but I have a maid who was employed in your house for two months.—Illustrated Bits.

Satisfactory Excuse.

"I am a self made man," said the pompous individual, with his chest expanded.

The other looked at him critically.

"Your excuse is satisfactory," he said. —Brooklyn Life.

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"Ah," he sighed, "I was happier when I was poor."

"Well," they answered coldly, "it is always possible for a man to become poor again."

But somehow the idea did not seem to impress him favorably.—Chicago Post.

The Viewpoint.

"That man is extremely suspicious, as he thinks every one he sees is a shady character, and naturally too."

"It's his nature, I suppose."

"Not at all. He wears smoked spectacles."—Baltimore Herald.

Didn't Seem Possible.

Mr. Staylate—Is that clock right?

Miss De Pink (wearily)—I think it must need cleaning. It's been two or three hours going that last hour.—Stray Stories.

You can't have a good time today unless you forget tomorrow, and if you forget tomorrow it will punish you when it is today.—Atchison Globe.

Somewhere in the world there are 119,000,000 big copper pennies, but nobody appears to know where they are.

Royalty and Profanity.

William the Conqueror did not introduce swearing into England, but he brought with him a very forcible oath. William was accustomed to swear "by the splendor of God," and on such occasions he combined with it the "terrible aspect of the eyes," which always took the place of swearing in the case of Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B. After William's time the rulers of England, with possibly here and there an exception, swore with great frequency and vigor. It is related that even Queen Bess, whose auburn locks did not belie a fiery temper, would break into a string of expletives that would rattle the royal windows and frighten the household and royal attendants from all sense of diplomatic recourse.—London Tatler.

The First Quarrel.

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The Hurons believe that the dove carries the souls of the departed hence. The Dakotas say the storm bird dwells so high as to be out of human vision and carries a fresh water lake on his back, so that when he plumes himself it rains, when he winks his bright eyes it lightens, when he flaps his wings thunder rolls. The Alaskans hold much the same idea about the "thunder-bird."

Among them all the eagle is mighty, brave, aspiring, the symbol of their warriors for apparent reasons. The kingfisher is anxious to serve his brother man.

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President of the Woman's Art Association of

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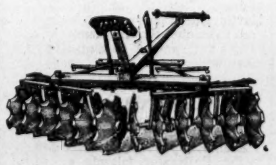

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TRAIN 40	Leaves Charlotte 4:50 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:50 A. M., Pembroke 9:30 A. M., Lumberton 9:50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.	
WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.		
Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.25 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte		10.18 a m
Ar Chester	1.35 a m	10.22 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	5.15 a m	2.50 p m
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Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	2.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth		
Ar Norfolk	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.35 a m 7.40 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.30 a m 11.00 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.25 p m 1.45 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m 4.55 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m 5.45 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.36 p m 9.30 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.35 a m	11.25 p m 11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m 6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 3.50 p. m.; Norfolk 5.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.19 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 35, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

From train 66 leaving Jacksonville 3.05 p. m.; Savannah 12.10 p. m.; Columbia 3.55 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 6.05 a. m.

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PICKINGS FROM FICTION.

It's a great thing to be of some use in the world.—"Brinton Eliot."

If not sure of the merit of your ideas, quote them as another's.—"Myra of the Pines."

The woman who makes a doormat of herself will always be trodden upon.—"Fables For the Elite."

Those who have not been imposed upon are a thief's equal, with a thief's discernment.—"The Fool."

If a man is obliged to make a fool of himself, it is best he should afford amusement to others while doing so.—"The Minority."

No man should ever try to be artless. He is too clumsy. It is like trying to do miniature painting with a whitewash brush.—"The Riddle of Life."

When once a woman has the folly to plead for herself, in that moment she murders love, and every tear she sheds thereafter becomes another clod upon his grave.—"Margaret Tudor."

A woman is all heart and sentiment, and while her fortress is a stronghold, yet she expects to be conquered, and once she surrenders she loves no one more than her conqueror.—"Buell Hampton."

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule in Effect Sept. 15, 1902.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. — No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.25 A. M., Lanes 11.26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. — No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.20 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.42 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. — No. 48—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M. Weldon 4.55 P. M., Petersburg 6.46 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.38 A. M., Philadelphia 4.05 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., *Boston 8.30 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. — No. 63—Due Jacksonville 4.12 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M. Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M. Denmark 6.31A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 3.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 49—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M. Weldon 1.50 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. — No. 41—From North Richmond.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. — No. 63—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. — No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M — No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson [

DAILY 7.30 P M — No. 53—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 F M — No. 50—From Charleston Florence.

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GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 35	Kinston	10 10	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	9 27	9 05
7 05	7 07	Morehead City	7 55	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 19.

PUBLIC RECEPTION TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

His Visit to Memphis—Negroes Will Take Part in the Day's Observances—Banquet at Night.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 18.—Everything is in readiness for the reception to be tendered Vice Governor Luke E. Wright of the Philippines, upon his arrival home to-night. A parade will be formed on Poplar street and Gen. Wright will be escorted to the Gayoso hotel, where a brief reception will be held. Main street will be a blaze of light and fire, and cannon will boom in honor of the returning Tennessean. Chief of Police Mason has granted the small boy full license to explode torpedoes, firecrackers and the like, and the demonstration promises to eclipse anything of a like character seen in Memphis for years.

President Roosevelt and party will arrive in Memphis at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. The party will be met at the union depot by a committee and the parade will march up Main street to the custom house and thence to the Gayoso. At noon a luncheon will be tendered the President by the ladies of the city. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon a public reception lasting two hours will be held in the auditorium, after which Gen. Wright and the President will repair to Church Park on Beal street, where the negroes of Memphis have prepared an hour's programme. From the park the party will return to their hotel. A banquet will be given at night at the Peabody hotel.

MRS. ROLAND B. MOLINEUX

Says She Is in Sioux Falls for the Purpose of Instituting Divorce Proceedings—Family Have Nothing to Say.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SIOUX FALLS, S.D., November 18.—Mrs. R. B. Molineux to-day gave out the following statement:

"It is true I am in Sioux Falls for the purpose of instituting divorce proceedings. I have no plans except that I shall be a resident here for the next six months."

Senator Kitridge, her attorney, has enjoined her not to talk further to newspaper representatives.

NEW YORK, November 18.—Roland B. Molineux and his father were in conference with their counsel, George Gordon Battle to-day. At the close of the talk Mr. Battle made the following statement:

"Neither General L. Molineux nor his son Roland B. Molineux nor any other member of the family, will make any statement in regard to the report in the press that Mrs. Roland B. Molineux has gone to South Dakota with the purpose of instituting an action for divorce against her husband.

"They regard it as a private matter, concerning which no public utterance should be made. General Molineux desires to say further that all the members of his family have at all times treated Mrs. Roland B. Molineux with the utmost kindness and consideration. This is his last word on the subject."

Mr. Battle said that he had not been retained to defend the divorce suit.

MR. CARNEGIE IN LONDON.

His Departure for the United States Delayed By Sickness.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Nov. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie returned to London with the intention of sailing to-morrow for the United States, but they have been obliged to abandon the voyage for the present because Mr. Carnegie is indisposed. The whole family were affected by something they ate on the continent. Mrs. Carnegie and her daughter have quite recovered. The physicians, however, think it would be imprudent for Mr. Carnegie to start yet, although he has practically recovered from his illness. Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie expect to sail for New York next week. The Carnegies were at Caux, Switzerland, when they were served with food which was in some way contaminated. The ill effects seemed to pass off and had done so in the cases of Mrs. Carnegie and her daughter by Sunday, when the party arrived in London. Mr. Carnegie, however, felt worse yesterday evening and summoned a physician, who was able to assure him that the poisoning was not of a serious character and that he would be up again in a day or two.

BISHOP THOMPSON DEAD.

Funeral Arranged for Thursday—Several Southern Bishops Will Attend.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSON, MISS., Nov. 18.—Bishop Hugh Miller Thompson died at five A. M. to-day, of cancer of the throat. Sinc his arrival here from New York, a week ago, he has been sinking rapidly and had made all preparations for the end, which came peacefully and while surrounded by his family and friends. He was born in Londonderry, Ireland, in 1830, and came to America with his parents when a child. He was admitted to the Episcopal ministry when 23 years old and filled several prominent pulpits in Chicago, New York and elsewhere. He was appointed bishop of the diocese of Mississippi in 1886. Bishop Thompson was a profound scholar and one of the ablest ministers in the South. The funeral has been arranged for Thursday in order that all clergymen of the Mississippi diocese may be present. A number of Southern bishops will attend and Bishop Gailor, of Tennessee, will conduct the services.

A New York dispatch says: All grades of refined sugars have been advanced ten points.

A Runaway Bicycle,

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, of Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn Ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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ARBITRATORS ARE GROWING WEARY.

In Consequence of Long Cross-Examination of Witnesses in the Strike Case.

MITCHELL STILL ON STAND.

Recognition of the Miners' Union Looked Upon as the Most Important Question Before the Commission—Companies Oppose It.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

SCRANTON, PA., November 18.—Mr. Mitchell, for the fourth successive day, occupied the witness stand during the two sessions of the strike commission and was cross-examined by three attorneys for as many coal companies. While a considerable amount of information for the enlightenment of the commissioners was brought out, the day was a rather quiet one compared with those which have preceded it.

The arbitrators are growing restless in consequence of the long cross-examination, which does not apparently bring out the facts as fully as the commission would like to have them presented. Several times during the course of the day's session, Chairman Gray reminded the attorneys of the value of time and suggested that the cross-examination be limited to new features of those questions that have already been gone over. The lawyers assured the commission that they, too, were anxious to expedite matters, and would do everything possible to hurry matters along without injuring their own case.

Mr. Mitchell has had the stand since last Friday morning and is showing signs of weariness from the strain of four days of cross-examination. Thus far his attorney, C. S. Darrow, and David Wilcox for the Delaware and Hudson, Wayne MacVeagh for the Erie, Frances I. Gowan for the Lehigh Valley, and W. W. Ross for the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company have examined the miners' president. The commissioners to day, for the first time, entered into the discussion with the lawyers and the witness over disputed points which rose from time to time.

Mr. MacVeagh, who began his cross-examination of Mr. Mitchell on Saturday, concluded at 11 o'clock to-day. The distinguished attorney centered most of his energies in trying to break down the miners' reasons for asking for a yearly agreement with the companies on hours of labor, wages and other conditions, which, if made, would be a recognition of the union. Mr. MacVeagh's principal aim throughout his questioning of Mr. Mitchell was to show that the mine workers' union, because of alleged acts of intimidation, violence and the use of the boycott by its members proved itself unfit to be a party to a contract. Mr. Mitchell would not admit, nor even assume for the sake of illustrating points, that a reign of terror existed in the anthracite fields during the last six months. The recognition of the union is looked upon as the most important question before the commission and it is quite evident from the trend of the proceedings thus far, that the companies will oppose it to their utmost ability.

Mr. Gowan and Mr. Ross questioned Mr. Mitchell principally regarding conditions existing at the collieries of the companies they represent. These questions were more or less technical. Mr. Mitchell's answers, as a rule, differed very little from the reasons given in his preliminary statement to the commission for improved conditions for the mine workers.

Interest in the proceedings is not waning. The large crowds which have been wedged in the court room in the preceding days of the hearings were in evidence. Neither is there a falling off in the attendance of attorneys, of whom there are almost two score present at each session.

WOMAN STABBED TO DEATH.

Murdered in Her Father's House By Another Woman—The Supposed Murderess Arrested.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Miss Florence McFarlin, aged 21 years, a music teacher, was stabbed to death in her father's house here to-day by another woman, and an hour later Mrs. Lulu Young, wife of Frank Young, at one time city purchasing agent, was arrested, as being the supposed murderer. The woman who committed the deed rang the door-bell of the McFarlin home this morning and when Miss MacFarlin answered it, struck her with a knife. Miss McFarlin ran screaming through the hall into the kitchen, closely pursued by her assailant. In the kitchen she stumbled, and in a flash her pursuer was upon her and with a rapid slash had stabbed her five times. Miss McFarlin sank to the floor, dying instantly. The murderess fled. The only words she was heard to utter were: "She has come between myself and my husband and I'm glad she is dead."

The dead woman was the daughter of a railroad man. She was a person of refinement, and good appearance. Mrs. Young made no statement after her arrest.

WALLACE TOBACCO WAREHOUSE

Grand Rally in Interest of Yellow Leaf Cultivation on Nov. 29th.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

WALLACE, N. C., Nov. 18.—There will be a grand rally in the interest of tobacco culture at Wallace on Nov. 29, 1902. Those interested in the welfare and progress of our section who desire to learn something of tobacco culture are cordially invited to attend. We expect to have with us experienced tobacco growers who will address the people.

A large gathering is solicited and we trust that all the farmers in our own and contiguous communities will show their interest in the enterprise by their presence. The fact we are to have a tobacco market at Wallace is practically certain. Our effort in that direction is meeting with success. The stockholders have been assessed 10 per cent. of their stock and cash receipts are satisfactory. Our proposed warehouse will be built 60x150 feet, with 24-foot driveway. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the secretary and treasurer. Sealed bids will be received on the day of the rally and it is likely that the warehouse will be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

A. R. SLOAN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Dr. Frank A. Baden, of Baltimore, a dentist, who has been in Richmond, Va., several months, was found dead in his bed at the Ballard House there yesterday.

ALLEGED PLOT TO ASSASSINATE ROOSEVELT.

Story Told by Mrs. Lena Doxheimer, a Confessed Anarchist, Whose Mental Balance, However, Is Doubted.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Lena Doxheimer, who says that until she became a member of the First Methodist Episcopal church at Hoboken, two years ago, she was associated with an anarchistic society of that place, and whose mental balance is questioned, is reported to have related to the Mothers' Club and the pastor of her church a story of alleged anarchist plotting against the life of President Roosevelt. According to Mrs. Doxheimer, there have been in the last fourteen months three persons assigned to the task of "removing" the President. One of these, a Frenchman named Meloy, she says she persuaded to return to Paris, where he was killed by a street car. She professes to believe that he put himself in the way of death in order to spare his relatives the humiliation of regarding him as a suicide. Next, according to Mrs. Doxheimer, the assassin's task was assigned to a man named Muller, living in Avenue B, this city, who a few days later died of poison, self-administered. The last of the three designated for the murderous work, Mrs. Doxheimer alleges, was a Mrs. Schroeder, of Harlem, who also ended her life by means of poison.

Mrs. Doxheimer asserts that among the plotters were several millionaires. Her conception of what constitutes a millionaire is indicated by her statement that these men "owned houses."

Mrs. Doxheimer says that recently she has been under suspicion of her former anarchistic associates, and that they have followed her and her husband about from place to place, so that they have requested the protection of detectives.

Rev. Charles Meade, Mrs. Doxheimer's pastor, will make no statement regarding the so-called confession.

THE FEDERATION OF LABOR

Voted to Increase Salaries of Its President and Secretary—The Dispute Between Gompers and Shaffer.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 18.—The salary of the president of the American Federation of Labor this afternoon was increased from $2,100 per annum to $3,000 and the salary of the secretary from $1,800 to $2,500.

The increases were voted only after long debate. The original resolution presented by Delegate Berger, of Milwaukee, provided that they should be $4,000 and $2,400, respectively. The committee to which the matter was referred reported in favor of increasing the salary of the president to $2,400 and that of the secretary to $2,100.

Delegate Berger represents the socialistic element of the Federation. In explaining his resolution, Mr. Berger said: "Labor organizations should not exploit their officers and employes. On the contrary, labor organizations ought to pay the best of wages. Our treasury permits it and our organization, comprising nearly one and a half million workers, ought to pay a fair salary."

The special committee having before it the dispute between President Gompers and President Shaffer, of the Amalgamated Association, finally organized this afternoon by selecting E. A. Tangueray, of the telegraphers, as the fifth member.

It spent the entire afternoon in taking testimony, but does not expect to be able to present a report before Thursday morning. It is considered almost a foregone conclusion that the report will be in favor of President Gompers.

WILCOX-CROPSEY MURDER.

Court Petitioned to Proceed With the Trial—Judge Moore Decides to Remove the Case Elsewhere.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., Nov. 18th.—Learning that the attorney for James Wilcox, who was convicted of the murder of Nellie Cropsey and who is about to be tried the second time, would move that the trial of his client be held in another county, W. H. Cropsey, the father of the murdered girl, circulated a petition asking that the Superior Court, now in session here, proceed with the trial at once. Leading business men signed the petition and this afternoon the attorney for the prosecution attempted to obtain an immediate hearing of the case. After reading affidavits from both sides and hearing argument of counsel, Judge Fred Moore decided to remove the Wilcox case to some county on this side of the sound. He will name the county during the present term of court. Wilcox appears pleased at the removal. It is thought either Gates, Perquimans or Chowan county will be named by the judge.

CANNON FOR SPEAKER.

Republican Members of Massachusetts and Iowa Will Support Him.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

DES MOINES, IOWA, November 18—At a caucus of members of the Iowa Republican delegation to the next Congress, held here to-day, it was decided to support Congressman Cannon for Speaker. Those present were Messrs. Lacey, Bull, Smith, Connor, Haugen and Hedge. Messrs. Thomas and Birdsall sent telegrams saying that they would support Connor, and Congressman Hepburn wired that if the majority of the delegation favored Cannon he would support him.

BOSTON, MASS., Nov. 18.—Most of the Massachusetts delegation to Congress met at the Union Club to-day and agreed to send the following telegram:

"Hon. Jos. G. Cannon, Union League Club, Chicago: Republicans of the Massachusetts delegation, at a meeting to-day in Boston, declared for you for Speaker."

WILL PARALLEL SOUTHERN.

Branch Road to Be Built By Knoxville, LaFollette and Jellico Co.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., Nov. 18.—President J. H. Ellis, of the Knoxville, LaFollette and Jellico Railroad Company, announces that his road will build the proposed Oliver Springs and Coal Creek branch from Dossets into one of the richest coal fields in East Tennessee. Dossets is on the main line of the Knoxville, LaFollette and Jellico and the Southern railways. The branch of the new road will parallel the Southern for a considerable distance into the Coal Creek territory.

THE BEAR HUNT IN MISSISSIPPI.

President Roosevelt's Ill Luck Stuck to Him Throughout the Entire Chase.

HE DIDN'T EVEN GET A SHOT.

Started On His Return to Memphis—He Will Stop at Asheville and Monroe, N. C., On the Return Trip to the National Capital.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SMEDES, MISS., Nov. 18.—President Roosevelt's bear hunt in Mississippi is ended and he has not even had a shot at a bear. The last day of the chase was simply a repetition of the three preceding days, so far as his luck was concerned. Try as the hunters would, they could not get a bear within range of the President's rifle.

The dogs got a fresh trail early this morning and the President and Holt Collier followed it half a dozen miles to the big Sunflower river. The bear crossed a mile below the ford. They went to this point, and believing he was making for the canebrake on the other side they endeavored to head him off.

When they got into the brake, however, they were disgusted to find that the bear had doubled on his tracks and crossed the river still further down. It was then 1 o'clock and as arrangements had been made to break camp at 2:30 o'clock the President was reluctantly compelled to abandon further pursuit of the elusive quarry.

Although the President has failed to kill a bear on this expedition, he has enjoyed his outing and speaks in high praise of the hospitality that has been accorded him. He philosophically attributed his ill-fortune to the traditional hunter's luck and says the next time he goes after bear he will arrange to stay long enough for the luck to change.

When all was in readiness the President and members of the party mounted their horses and rode into Smedes, leaving the wagons to follow. The President is a hard rider and the pace was rapid in spite of the bad trails. The distance, which is fully twelve miles, was covered in less than an hour.

Upon the President's arrival here he found fully five hundred people, practically all the negroes from the surrounding plantations, assembled to greet him.

At 9:30 o'clock the special train started for Memphis, having added the record of a presidential bear hunt to the fame of Smedes, which first became known to the outside world through the story that here the experiment of teaching monkeys to pick cotton was to be tried.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., Nov. 18.—It is announced here that on his return trip from Memphis President Roosevelt will take the Southern Railway route direct to Washington, and will make stops at Stevenson and Tuscumbia, Ala., Chattanooga and Knoxville, Tenn., and Asheville and Monroe, N. C. This will be the President's second visit this year to Chattanooga, Knoxville and Asheville. He is scheduled to reach Asheville Thursday at 6:10 P. M.

A RIOTOUS CREW.

Sailors On the U. S. Training Ship Hartford Drunk and Disorderly.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—The *Daily Mail* reports that during the recent visit of the United States training ship Hartford to Maderia, one hundred of the crew were allowed to go on shore for five hours and some of them became intoxicated and indulged in riotous behavior. They interfered with a wagon drawn by bullocks and assaulted a well known local gentleman with sticks, severely maltreating him. This incident led to bottles being thrown at the sailors from the windows of a hotel and some among them sustained nasty cuts. Later the populace assumed a hostile attitude towards the American seamen and several fled into a church to escape from the angry mob. The Hartford fired half a dozen blank shots and subsequently the captain came ashore and decided to stop all further leave while in port.

WARM WIRELETS.

Archbishop Guidi, apostolic delegate to the Philippine islands, arrived in Manila yesterday. A delegation of Roman Catholics boarded the steamer and escorted the prelate ashore.

Vice President and General Manager J. M. Barr, of the Seaboard Air Line, announces the appointment of Mr. E. L. Cost as traffic manager of the Seaboard to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. W. H. Pleasants.

Generals Delarey and Botha have decided to abandon their proposed tour to the United States. General Delarey in an interview says they intended to return to South Africa to meet Colonial Secretary Chamberlain at Pretoria.

There is brisk betting on the New York Stock Exchange on the Yale-Harvard football game for Saturday. The odds favor Yale at 10 to 6, and three bets at $1,000 to $600 were placed. Many bets at $100 to $60 and $100 to $50 were made.

A meeting of hardwood lumber dealers, called at the instance of the Hardwood Lumber Dealers' Association of the United States, was held in Asheville, N. C., for the purpose of adopting a uniform scale in the grading of hardwood lumber.

The eastbound Southern Pacific passenger train was wrecked yesterday near Devers, Texas. Engineer John Burls, of Houston, was probably fatally injured. Fireman Floyd was badly scalded and otherwise injured, but not fatally. The only passenger injured was W. S. Walton, a travelling man of Belton, Texas.

In a fit of jealousy, Thomas Mitchell, aged eighty-eight, a cripple, shot and instantly killed Elkins Weatherby, aged 25 years. Weatherby was to have been married to Miss Lavinia Morris, with whom it is said Mitchell was in love. All concerned are prominent people and live at Weatherby, Dickerson county, Va.

Sixteen candidates have passed the mental examination at Annapolis, for midshipmen. Among the number is Stephen Decatur, Jr., of Portsmouth, N. H., a great-grandson of the famous American commodore of that name. Among the others are Charles S. McWhorter, Woodville, Ga., and Claude B. May, A. and M. College, Mississippi.

For Whooping Cough use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

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When the doctor leaves and says the case is hopeless, what remains to be done? Nothing, if the doctor's word is final. Much, if you will listen to the statements of men and women who were once "hopeless cases" given up by doctors, and who were perfectly and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

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Abram Freer, Esq., of Rockbridge, Greene Co., Ill., writes: "My wife had a severe attack of pleurisy and lung trouble; the doctors gave her up to die. She commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and she began to improve from the first dose. By the time she had taken eight or ten bottles she was cured, and it was the cause of a large amount being sold here. I think the 'Golden Medical Discovery' is the best medicine in the world for lung trouble."

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

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Gas Heaters—Gas Radiators for both room, bedroom and halls. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co. nov 19 1t

My entire flock (50 head) of Black Minorcas for sale. Can't be beat for laying. Prices $1.00 to $10 each. W. C. Armstrong. nov 18 1t*

Wanted—Employment as Book-keeper or general office work. Address N. W., this office. nov 16 3t*

Call at Winstead's for all kinds of foreign and domestic fruit; Bananas a specialty. No. 213 Market and 215 North Front street. Bell 'Phones 203 and 259. oc 19 tf

B. F. Mills' Dyeing, Cleaning and Repair Establishment, No. 25 North Second street, will be open October 1st. All work guaranteed. Bring your old clothes and have them made new. Economy is the road to wealth. sep 28 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs and Furniture repaired, cleaned and revarnished; Upholstering done also. H. J. Gruman's headquarters for Wall Paper. J. B. Farrar, No. 8½ North Second street. my 16 tf

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Call on us for your equipment.

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HUNTING SUITS, GAME BAGS, and everything necessary for a complete outfit for the Bird Hunter, the Deer Hunter, the Duck Hunter.

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Received to-day. Hyacinth, Crocus, Freesias, Narcissus, Tulip, and Oxalis Bulbs. They are the very best imported bulbs. Plant early and get best results.

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P. S.—New Crop Lawn Grass Seed. sep 23 tf

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A NEW CAKE AT

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Florida Oranges, Ben Davis Apples, Choice Malaga Grapes, Bananas.
Fresh Cakes and Crackers. Cheese Sandwich canned Soups, assorted; big Prunes, new Currants, Horse Radish, Oysterettes.
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LOW ROUND TRIP

Rates From Wilmington

North Carolina Conference, Methodist Protestant Church, Asheboro, N. C., Nov. 20th. Dates of sale Nov. 19th and 20th. Final limit Nov. 27th. Rate, $6.20.

Grand Lodge Colored Masons of N. C., Salisbury, Dec. 9th. Dates of sale Dec. 8th to 11th. Final limit Dec. 20th. Rate $10.50.

Annual Conference A.M.E. Church, Chapel Hill, N. C., Nov. 20th to Dec 1st. Dates of sale Nov. 18th to 23rd. Final limit Dec 2nd. Rate $8.50.

Meeting National Hardware Association; Meeting American Hardware Association, New Orleans, La., Nov. 19th-21st. Dates of sale Nov. 16th, 17th and 18th. Final limit 10 days from date of sale. Rate $25.00.

North Carolina Conference A. M. E. Zion Church, Newbern, N. C., Nov. 26th. Dates of sale Nov. 24th, 25th and 26th. Final limit Dec. 3rd. Rate $4.25. nov 15 tf

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We guarantee the uppers not to break before the sole wears through.

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Your little room—
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When you come home from work, with tired eyes and tired body, how pleasant that at the touch of a match the room is elevated to the plane of comfort.
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We also have had extremely large sales in Millinery, Cloaks and Furs. We do business on the plan of making our customers our friends—when we sell them once we sell them all the while.

We want your trade; our large store is full to overflowing with new goods suitable to fill your Fall and Winter wants.

Special sale on Blankets, Comforts and Quilts. White and Gray Blankets at 48c a pair or 24c each; heavy half wool Blankets at $1.00 a pair or 50c each; nice 10-4 all wool Blankets at $3.75; nice 11-4 all wool Blankets at $4.35—our former price was $4.25 and $5.00. Twenty-five dozen Comforts and Quilts. Good Comforts at 50c each; nice heavy Comforts 83c, 98c, $1.25 and up to $3.50. Beautiful white Spreads at 75c, 98c, $1.39 and up to $3.00; colored Spreads with fringe, $2.25 value, for $1.50. Cotton Bats, six for 25c. Hall Portiere Curtains $1.98, $2.25 up to $4.00 each. Lace Curtains, all styles, 45c, 68c, 75c and up to $3.00 a pair. Fifty-four-inch Damask furniture cover at 45c a yard; 27-inch at 19c a yard; Denims at 10c and 15c a yard; Silkalines for 6c, 8c and 10c a yard. Swiss Curtains, with ruffles, at 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 a pair. Window Shades, with fixtures, 10c, 15c and up to 50c each.

Art squares 7½ by 9 feet at 37½c per square yard or $3.75 each; 9 by 9 for $4.55 or 9 by 12 are $4.50.

Beautiful wool ingrain carpets at 48c per yard. Good Brussel carpets at 48c, 55c, 60c and 66c; mattings 10c, 12½c and to 25c.

Clothing for everybody in men's suits, boys' suits and youth's suits. Odd Pants of all kinds; overcoats in all the new shapes. In our men's clothing department we find we have about 125 of only 1 and 2 and 3 suits of a kind left. This lot represents about $1,000, and we want to clean out these lots, and we have decided to sell them at and about cost—fully 25 per cent. less than first price. If you want to buy a suit cheap come to us—we will make it a point for you if saving amounts to anything. Men's overcoats—we have quite a nice assortment which we sell from $3 to $12.50 each. Our $5 coat is all wool and well made in Raglan style. It is both nice looking and serviceable and the price is only $5.

We have a nice Beaver coat, well made and long cut, at $3.50.

A man's rubber lined coat made for sportsmen and fishermen and anybody that is exposed to the weather, heavy, thick and warm—air tight and water proof—that we are offering this week at $1.48 each.

Neckwear—In this department we have just received some new Christmas novelties—the latest styles for ladies and gentlemen—25 and 50c each.

Kid Gloves—Ladies: We have on hand to-day Kid Gloves; have one lot of 8 dozen fine $1 kid gloves, sold as they are for 50c and 69c per pair, all sizes. 1 lot of Kid Gloves, sold without guarantee, gussetted fingers and buttons and hooks that we sell for 75c.

One lot of 12 dozen, the highest grade of $1.25 gloves, this same grade is sold as high as $1.50, we have only one price, which is $1, and we guarantee satisfaction; if they rip or split return them and get a new pair free of cost.

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Working men's gloves 25c and up to the best engineer glove at $1. We have pleased others and would like to please you. If you have any fault to find please tell us. If you like our goods and way of doing business tell others. We want the trade of the many.

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We carry the largest line of Ladies' Hats in the city, prices from 19c to $35.00 each. Misses' Reefer Jackets 65c, 75c, 90c, $1.25 and $1.50, worth double the price. Children's long Cloaks, sizes 4 to 14 years, $1.25 to $4.50. Ladies' Cloaks $3.75, worth $6.00, and $10.25 worth $18.00, all shades. Capes 40c to $8.50.

Ladies' Mercerize Waist	98c, worth $1.25
Ladies' Flannel Waist	60c, worth $1.25
Ladies' Flannel Waist	$1.00, worth 1.50
Ladies' Broadcloth Waist	$1.25, 1.87, 2.18
Ladies' Silk Waist	77c, $2.38, 3.95

Fascinators (Beeded) 19c, worth 25c. Fur Neck Scarfs, 6 tails, full length 63c, worth $1.50; better at 98c, $1.48, 2.50, worth double. All kinds Hosiery, Notions, Novelties.

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